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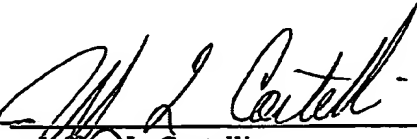
In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.56 and 37 C.F.R. 1.97-1.99, it is requested that the references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 be made of record in the above-identified application.

At least some of the references listed on PTO Form-1449 are discussed in the specification of the present application.

The references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 were cited in parent application Serial No. 09/578,895 filed May 26, 2000, from which priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 120.

It is requested that the accompanying PTO-1449 be considered and made of record in the above-identified application. To assist the Examiner, the documents are listed on the attached form PTO-1449. It is respectfully requested that an Examiner initialed copy of this form be returned to the undersigned.

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